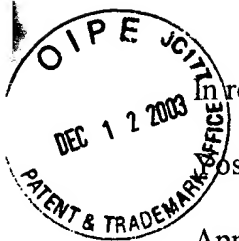


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In re Application of:)

Yoshiyuki SHINO, et al.)

Appln. No.: 09/900,008)

Filed: July 9, 2001)

For: NON-CONTACT INFORMATION)
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment After Final Rejection in the above-identified application.


☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	13	MINUS	20	= 0	x \$9 \$18	\$ 0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	4	= 0	x \$42 \$84	\$ 0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140°/\$280						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$ 0.00

- ☐ °Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the fee for a _____ month extension is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- ☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,


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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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In response to the final Office Action dated September 12, 2003 in the above-identified application, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks.